

# JAPS MARCHED TO THE NORTH

The Forward March of the Entire Corps Has Begun in Korea.

## PREPARE TO MOVE ON HARBIN NOW

An Immense Force Has Been Concentrated, in Readiness to March Forward--Start Was Made From Mouth of Tumen River.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
St. Petersburg, March 24.—A dispatch from Major General Pfungz, dated Mukden, today, says there is absolutely no truth in the report to the effect the Japanese had crossed Tatum pass or that there had been an engagement with the Russians, while a statement that the way to the Motte pass where a strong Russian detachment is alleged to be stationed is open to the Japanese, is also a pure invention. He also denies he published reports of an engagement taking place at Port Arthur March 18th, and of the encounter at Chong Solm in which 600 Rus-

alleged the rising was instigated by Russians.  
Bigger Loss Yet  
Berlin, arch 24.—The Schlesiache Zeitung announces that it was not the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Skori that was blown up by the floating torpedo in the harbor of Port Arthur on March 16th but the armored cruiser Sayan. Almost the entire crew of seven hundred men were killed.

London, March 24.—If the newspaper dispatches are reliable, the advance of the Japanese army northward may be expected soon.

OFFICERS OF RUSSIAN ARMY CROSSING LAKE BAIKAL FROM TERMINUS TO TERMINUS OF THE TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILWAY.



Trees are stuck in the ice to mark the way across the lake, which is frozen for six months of the year. The officers cross in sledges, but the soldiers march.

stans were reported lost.  
Are Nearly Ready  
Tokio, March 24.—It is understood that the operations in northern Korea will commence in about a week by the Japanese advancing on the Yalu river.

Still Waiting  
Shanghai, March 24.—The cruiser Aikushima remains at Woosung because the Russians have not complied with the agreement to dismantle the Mandjur.

Damaged Harbor  
Rome, March 24.—A Tokio dispatch to the Agenzia Libera states that during yesterday's attack on Port Arthur the fire of the Japanese battleships destroyed a powder magazine, dismantled a majority of the guns in the forts at the harbor entrance and ruined the electric searchlight system.

Costly to Russia  
St. Petersburg, March 24.—The newspaper Svet states that the railway around the end of Lake Baikal, which is proposed, will be the most costly of all the Russian roads. The road will cost 210,777 roubles to the verst and will be 241 versts long. It will be necessary to make nineteen tunnels and construct 189 bridges in order to carry the railway along the route mapped out.

Attack Koreans  
London, March 24.—A Tokio dispatch to the Times says that a band of Koreans having risen in arms at Ham-hung, was attacked by a detachment of Japanese from Wonsan, who killed two, wounded twenty and captured thirty-six. The prisoners included the ringleaders, who

## JUDGE BUNN HAS LIQUOR CASE UP

United States Court Had a Full List of Indian Cases to Hear Yesterday.

(Special to The Gazette.)

Madison, March 24.—Indian liquor cases from the northern counties of the state have largely monopolized the attention of the United States court here since the grand jury a month ago returned a long list of indictments. Thirty-four arraignments have already been made, to the majority of which pleas of guilty have been entered and fines and imprisonments imposed. Yesterday four cases were on hearing before Judge Romanzo Bunn, the defendants all coming from Sawyer county. John Lagoot, whose right name is Gruet, and Ole Oleson, both of Birchwood, pleaded not guilty to the indictments which charged the selling of a quart of whiskey to Indians and they were held for trial in June on a bond of \$200 each. Edward P. Antz of Radisson and John Doe, alias Andrew, of Condray station pleaded guilty to the same charge and each was fined \$50 and one day in the county jail.

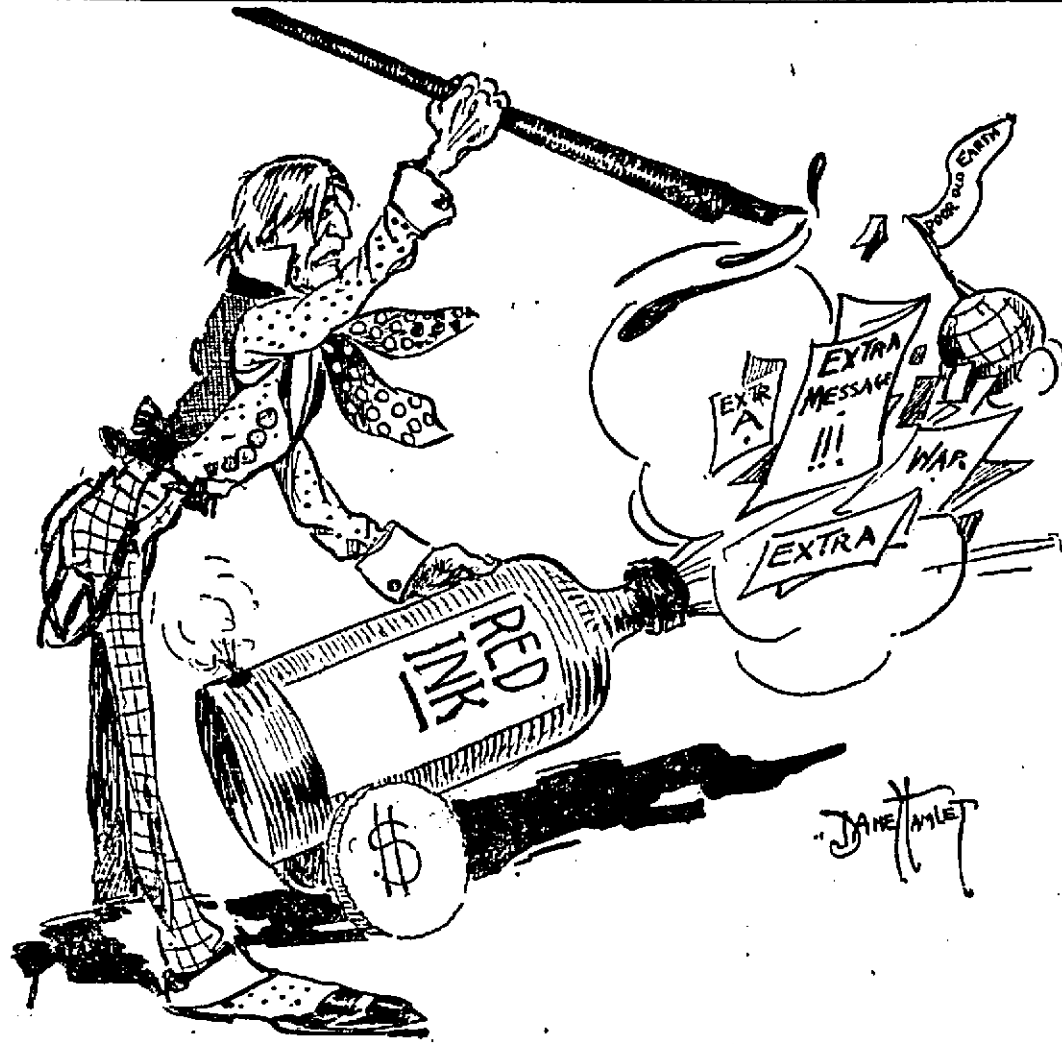
## TWO CYCLISTS ARE PUNISHED

Gave False Testimony in the Famous Death of the Fairs While Automobiling.

Paris, March 24.—The court which has been hearing the evidence in connection with the Fair will case today condemned Frederic Masse and Louis Muranne, two cyclists who gave false evidence at the hearing in New York, to three years in prison and a fine of fifty francs each. The men testified they had seen the Fairs killed and Mr. Fair had been the first to expire. It was proved the two were not at the scene when the accident occurred.

Judge W. M. Robertson of Norfolk, Neb., has announced his withdrawal from the race for the nomination for governor. He entered the campaign ten days ago. Governor Mickey now has a clear field, with 303 delegates already pledged or promised to him. Five hundred and twenty-nine are needed to nominate.

A new fraternity, of an honorary nature, has been formed from members of the senior class of the state university.



PRESIDENT HEARST'S FIRST MESSAGE TO CONGRESS.

## PRESIDENT WILL TOUCH A BUTTON

This Will Start All the Machinery at the St. Louis Exposition on April 30.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Washington, March 24.—The president today acceded to the request of the exposition officials to press the button to start the machinery of the world's fair at St. Louis at one p. m., April 30th. The members of the cabinet will be present and a picture will be taken for exhibition at the fair.

## ARREST CASHIER OF THE BANK ON

The Charge of Felonious Embezzlement from Orange Growers

Bank of Riverside.  
(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Los Angeles, Cal., March 24.—H. T. Hayes, the former cashier of the Orange Growers' bank at Riverside, and for whom a search was made on a warrant charging him with felonious embezzlement, was arrested on Wednesday night at the Country club at Riverside.

## GIRL BLINDS HER SISTER'S EYES

Then Goes Insane, and is Now a Waving Maniac as Result of Happening.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Harrisburg, Pa., March 24.—Mary Keller, aged 22, threw sulphuric acid in the face of her half-sister, Ella Keller, aged 18, and probably blinding her. Her life is despaired of. Mary is a raving maniac.

## CORBETT READY; BRITT IS FIT.

Two Little Fighters Are in the Pink of Condition for Their Coming Battle.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
San Francisco, March 24.—Corbett and Britt were up early this morning. Both men are in grand shape, though few ounces overweight. Corbett hit the road for a ten-mile run this morning. Britt took just enough exercise to keep his weight down. Corbett is ten to six the favorite today.

## STATE NOTES

Mayor Nelson of Racine attacked the validity of the Wisconsin game laws in the circuit court at Kenosha, when, as attorney for Peter S. Neergaard, who has been arrested on a charge of shipping fish out of the state, he demanded his client's discharge on the ground that the laws are unconstitutional, as direct infringements of the Intercommerce act. Judge Belden took the point under advisement.

Edward Dickinson of Sumner, who is under a \$500 bond to appear in Milwaukee, was arraigned in Green Bay on another criminal charge relative to the same offense and placed under \$800 bonds. The complainant is Julia Kurtz of Milwaukee, acting in behalf of Olive Meaux, 13 years old, who lived in Dickinson's home. Dickinson was recently married at Green Bay.

The Union telephone exchange at Prairie du Chien has been sold by Dave Harris to J. W. Callaway of La Crosse for \$7,000.

A cooperative meat market has been started at Two Rivers. There are 105 stockholders. All are members of the socialist party. Each stockholder has contributed \$10.

## HOW BELOIT NOW LOOKS AFTER THE

Flood of the Past Few Days—Much Damage Done to Many Homes.

South Beloit is a desolate looking place indeed today. Although the water has subsided in large measure there are pools and lagoons all over the flooded district, and the ice cakes and refuse of other kinds left by the receding water make a dreary looking waste of the territory, said a Beloit resident. Added to this, of course, is the ruins of the burned factory, with its smoke-begrimed walls standing out against the sky in eloquently dismal relief.

All day long hundreds of people have made their way to the scene of the fire and flood, and have viewed with curious eyes the property that Tuesday was visible only from a distance.

The Rockton road between the St. Paul and North-Western tracks is strewn with ice cakes so thick that passage with team and wagon is difficult. Some of the cakes were moved yesterday morning, however, and after that it was easier to get through. In this district an ice cake had been thrown up against the side of a cottage, and the wonder is that the side of the building was not stayed in by the ice and the force of the water. Near the same place two sidewalks were raised by the water and left on the front fences. At one place this morning all the carpets in the house were out on the line to dry, and the dirty marks on the house showed that the water had been above the window sills.

How They Saved the Cow  
Various expedients were resorted to, to save property. One lady said that they had a cow in their barn, and as the water began to rise her husband went out from time to time and put straw under the animal to raise her out of the wet. In this manner they kept her fairly dry.

A boy in South Beloit became alarmed for the safety of the chickens, and wading out to the poultry house he carried the fowls outside, where they remained on top of the building all day yesterday.

Goods were carried out of cellars to the upper floors in numerous instances, and in this way much damage was averted. Only a few cottages in the lower portions were flooded above the first floors, although most of the cellars in the settlement had large amounts of water in them.

The ruins of the Thompson factory are worth a visit to see. Within the walls, only a small portion of which are still standing, and which almost look like crumbling ruins of some ancient settlement, lie tons upon tons of machinery, once beautiful and of great commercial value, but now twisted out of shape, and lying together in a confused mass, only so much broken iron and steel. In one place is the huge crane, twisted out of shape by the intense heat of the fire, a mighty piece of machinery, but now seemingly doubly feeble and helpless as its great bulk lies there amid the ruins.

One workman went to the ruins of the fire this morning to see what he could find of his tools. He found enough iron where his tool box had been to make a small handle, but the strangest thing was that his book containing the records of his piece work and which had been in the tool box was found hardly scorched.

John J. Sheridan was nominated for mayor of Delaune, Iowa, over Henry Schunk, although the latter gave him a hard fight.

Charles N. Grube was found fatally wounded in his bed at Kenosha on Wednesday, having been shot through the head with a revolver ball. Members of the family say the shooting was accidental.

## COLD WAVE IS NOW PREDICTED

Will Turn to Winter Again if the Weather Man Tells the Truth.

At three o'clock this afternoon a bulletin was sent out by the man who makes the weather on top of the Auditorium tower in Chicago that it was to turn cold tonight and Friday with very cold weather Friday night, touching the zero mark in the northern portion of the state. It is named as the last gasp of winter, just to show the "dear public" that his back is not broken or that an old man with a broken back can still be very disagreeable. This means more joy for the coal men whose winter has been one long continued picnic. It will also cast a chill upon the spellbinders who were about to entice from their winter quarters in the state capitol building and begin their tour of the state in behalf of "God's patient poor." Cold weather now means a later spring than ever and a prolongation of the pangs of winter. The report sent out is as follows:

Cold wave coming; temperature will fall thirty degrees or more by Friday night. The severe cold in the northwest will cause unreasonable cold weather in our section Saturday night and Sunday.

## MORMONISM WILL BE THE TOPIC

Inter-Denominational Council of Women Send Out a Circular Letter.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
New York, March 24.—The Inter-denominational council of the National Women's Christian union and the congress of mothers this morning sent out a circular letter to clergymen all over the country urging them to preach on Mormonism next Sunday.

## ENGINE SWIPED IN PITTSBURG

The Engineer and Fireman of the Wrecked Locomotive Are Badly Injured.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Pittsburg, Pa., March 24.—An east-bound Pittsburg & P. Wayne passenger train side "swiped" a locomotive in the yards at Crestline, O., this morning. The engine was wrecked and the engineer and fireman injured.

## SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

The National bank of Holdenville, I. T., capitalized at \$50,000, has been suspended and is in the hands of the controller of the currency.

Colonel Symons announces that he will accept Governor Odell's appointment to the New York canal commission, even at the expense of losing his army salary while serving in the position.

George J. Gould and family, accompanied by a party of friends, are at St. Louis and will depart today for New York.

Mrs. W. J. Bryan will testify in her husband's behalf next Tuesday in the Bennett will case at New Haven.

A court-martial at San Francisco is trying Lieutenant George S. Richards, Jr., of the Twenty-third Infantry, and Frederick B. Nelson of the Twelfth cavalry, charged with irregularities in connection with their pay accounts.

Division No. 2 of the Missouri supreme court has reversed and remanded the case of John H. Schnettler, convicted of hoodluming while a member of the house of delegates in St. Louis and sentenced to four years in the penitentiary.

# WHO IS TO BE BLAMED FOR A

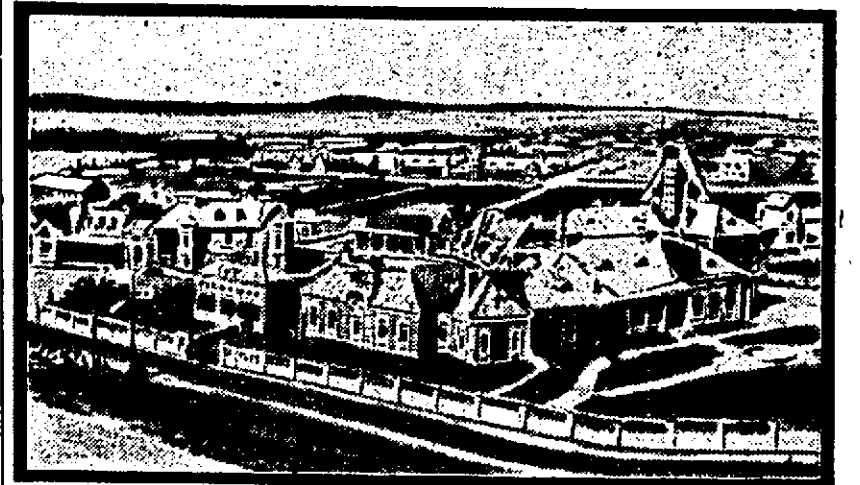
Decided Departure From All Precedents and Customs of the Republican Party?

## NOT EVEN A QUORUM PRESENT

State Republican Committee Meets and Adjourns Until May 6th--Snap Conventions Will Now Be in Order--Creates Talk.

(Special to The Gazette.)  
Madison, Wis., March 24.—The central committee members failed to show up at the adjourned meeting this morning. Only 9 of the 22 members appeared, there being no quorum. A further adjournment was taken to May 6th. This will cause a departure from the republican custom of giving an eight weeks' notice of a state convention and necessitates snap caucuses all over the state. Although only one conservative member of the committee appeared and eight La Follette mem-

of Thursday (this) afternoon, Prepare Call  
The purpose of this meeting was to promulgate a prepared call for the snap caucuses in Dane county, which shall be held as early as the law and precedent allow, unless developments demand that the plans be changed and more time be had for the preliminary fight. The county committee may not set the date of the Dane county caucuses but will authorize the call and perhaps delegate it to the local members, practiced and eight La Follette mem-



DALNY, THE RUSSIAN COMMERCIAL PORT IN MANCHURIA.

bers, the governor is blamed for the situation and charged with attempting to hold a snap convention.

Preliminary Work  
Before the meeting of the committee, the whole matter had been determined in the executive office, in so far as the administration was able to determine it. So sure of the result of the meeting was the La Follette management that the printing had already been prepared for the quick action to follow the determination of the date of the state convention.

Chairman Eli Pederson of the Dane county republican committee, by the proxy of Secretary Ernest N. Warner of the Madison La Follette planners, caused to be issued as early as the afternoon before the final meeting of the state central committee a call for the county committee to gather at Madison at 2 o'clock

tically all administration men.  
A Nice Plan  
The intention is to hold the caucuses in Dane county, the home of the governor, first, try to win there and set a pleasant example to the other workers throughout the state. Great strength is relied upon as coming from the people in this part of the state who are fearful against the rather substantial bid that Oshkosh is making in favor of the removal of the state capital to that city.

The Old Bluff  
It is believed by the administration people that the danger of removal of the capitol, or even the agitation of it by Oshkosh, will cement the voters of this section in favor of the present governor. This the most potent reason for calling the Dane county caucuses first and as soon as possible.

## GHASTLY CRIME UNEARTHED TODAY

Police Find Trunk Containing the Bodies of a Woman and Child, in a Boarding House.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
London, March 24.—A ghastly crime was unearthed today at Kanasirise. Police found a trunk at a boarding house containing the bodies of a woman and child who disappeared two months ago. Officers suspected a lodger named Grossman, when an attempt was made to arrest him was made he dashed through the streets, seeing he could not escape he drew a razor and cut his throat. The police believe that more bodies are hidden and are searching the premises.

## EDWIN ARNOLD DIED SUDDENLY

Famous English Lecturer and Author Passed Into the Great Beyond This Morning.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
London, March 24.—Sir Edward Arnold, the author of "The Light of Asia" and other works on the east, died suddenly this morning at 10:30. He had been feeling badly for some days past, but no immediate danger was anticipated. He has been living in England for some time past engaged in journalistic work.

## WILL EXECUTE JERRY DUGGANS

He Killed Mrs. Ramsay and Two Children—Hangs on the Eighth of July.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Terre Haute, Ind., March 24.—The jury in the case of Jerry Duggans, charged with the murder of Mrs. Ben Ramsay and two children, brought in a verdict of guilty and ordered his execution on July 8th.

## EMPEROR HEADS TOWARDS ITALY

Is on Board the Royal Cruiser Hohenzollern, and Will Cruise in Mediterranean.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Naples, March 24.—Kaiser William of Germany arrived here today and will head the imperial yacht Hohenzollern and proceed to cruise through the Mediterranean.

## BERLIN HAS A THEATRE DISASTER

Thirteen Workmen Were Killed in the Collapse of Variety Play House.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Berlin, March 24.—The Flora variety theatre which is being demolished, collapsed this morning and 13 workmen employed in tearing down the walls were killed.

## KANSAS CITY HAS BIG FIRE TODAY

Lightning Causes a Hundred Thousand Dollar Loss to Jones Department Store.

(Special by Scripps-McLain.)  
Kansas City, Mo., March 24.—Fire caused by lightning resulted in the loss of a hundred and thirty thousand dollars to the Jones Department store this morning.

A. V. Merrill, a spectator, may die of concussion of the brain as a result of a stream of water striking him.

The democratic county committee of Mason county, Illinois, will be held in Havana Monday, April 25, and the primaries for the nomination for county officers Saturday, April 23.



## NEWS BUDGET OF THE UNIVERSITY

WHAT IS DOING AT MADISON THIS WEEK.

### TALK ON ATHLETIC CONTESTS

Bits of Chit Chat from the Campus—  
Spring Brings Bright Prospects for the Coming Season.

Madison, Wis.—Gordon Lewis, captain of the University of Wisconsin baseball team, played professional ball last summer. This is the first time he has been in Madison, and by authority persons connected with the university athletic department. Coach Utley of Michigan knows this to be true for, it is said, he was with Captain Lewis played the paid games as alleged.

Coupled with this admission is the brassy-fronted question: Will you dare to make formal and explicit charges of professionalism against any Wisconsin athlete?

This situation is probably unique in the history of western intercollegiate athletics. Probably never before has it been admitted that professionalism prevails in a university athletic team, coupled with a dare or defiance for any opponent or fellow in the intercollegiate amateur conference to prefer formal charges.

No Professionalism.  
The secret of this remarkable situation is the possession by the athletic authorities at Madison of information enough to prove professionalism against leading members of the athletic teams of almost every other school in the conference. If charges are preferred against Captain Lewis or any other Wisconsin athlete, there will be a big odor stirred up that will have no equal in western collegiate athletic history. It is common knowledge here that Edward B. Cochems, former Wisconsin football, baseball, and track team star, and now assistant coach of the football team, has in his possession a list of 50 members of the athletic teams of other conference colleges besides Wisconsin, whom he can show are professionals or irregular under the conference rules.

Elson's Trouble.  
"I have dealt with this man Cook before," said Dr. J. C. Elson, head of the gymnastic department of the University of Wisconsin. "And the 'ducking out' of the Minnesota team from the intercollegiate gymnastic contest is more of a disappointment than a surprise. Through the scheming of Minnesota last year, under this same man Cook, Minnesota partisans were selected as judges of the intercollegiate contest at Minneapolis and Minnesota won, not deservedly to do so. Wisconsin expected to defeat the sophomores with competent and fair judges this year, but Cook, who has his own way at Minneapolis preferred to escape us and take his gymnasts east at the time of the western meet. Wisconsin has no secure hold on the meet Saturday night. The Grinnell college team is exceedingly strong and will perhaps win."

This statement from Dr. J. C. Elson, professor of physical culture and director of the University of Wisconsin gymnasium, shows that the cordiality between Wisconsin and Minnesota is lessened by the determination of the Minnesota team to participate in the eastern intercollegiate gymnastic contests rather than in the western meet that will be held in Madison Saturday night. Only three teams will participate, Chicago, Wisconsin and Grinnell college.

## BELOIT BOWLERS WON THE MATCH

Defeated the Local Team by Fifty.  
Eight Pins—Bowl Rockford  
This Evening.

This evening the final contest between the Rockford bowlers and those of Janesville will take place at Beloit. Each team has won four games each and this final contest will be watched with much interest. Aside from the regular team games there will also be several individual contests for side bets. The local bowlers will go to Beloit at six o'clock on the St. Paul road, the interurban for the time being out of running order owing to the flood between this city and Beloit.

Beloit Won Game.  
Last night the locals lost their contest with Beloit by the narrow margin of 58 pins. The following is the scores for the three games bowled:

Janesville	Beloit
Ruhland . . . . . 200	156
Hockett . . . . . 136	151
Jones . . . . . 166	177
Raymond . . . . . 148	140
Nolan . . . . . 182	172
Totals . . . . . 832	796
Beloit	
Dorabaker . . . . . 167	156
Van Wart . . . . . 147	204
Oliver . . . . . 164	126
Hollister . . . . . 146	148
Perkins . . . . . 168	216
Totals . . . . . 792	850
Beloit . . . . . 2523	
Janesville . . . . . 2465	

The Power of Advertising.  
An amusing incident which occurred in the Jamestown, N. Y., public schools and which illustrates the force of advertising has come to our notice. In a recent examination one of the questions was: "Give some of the English derivatives from the Latin word 'Ego.'" One pupil promptly replied: "Egg-O-Seck."

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth.  
Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Eucalypti Syrup, for children's teething. It soothes the inflamed gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

A Spring Tonic that braces body and brain, cleanses, purifies and strengthens the entire system. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea keeps you well all summer. 25 cents, tea or tablet form. A. Volts' Pharmacy.

## AMONG THE WORLD'S WORKERS

News Notes From Various Sources of Great Interest to the Workman.

A committee has been appointed by the Boston Central labor union to represent that organization in the spontaneous movement of organized labor in Boston and vicinity to erect a monumental stone of appropriate design over the grave of Frank S. Pickett, for a number of years labor editor of the Herald.

Arbitration conducted by the Board of Trade in the wage dispute between the masters and men engaged in the Welsh tinplate trade has resulted in and award of a majority of points against the men.

It is figured by conservative estimators that approximately \$55,000,000 has been taken from this country by about 25,000 returning immigrants mostly Italians, to their native lands.

Carmen employed on the St. Louis & San Francisco road have been granted an increase in wages of five per cent. The increase affects over 1000 men.

It is likely that all crafts employed in the manufacture of window glass will be amalgamated at the convention to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, March 24.

In England the Labor Representation committee has now over a million working men and women affiliated with it and it is highly probable that will absorb the powerful Scottish Workers' Representation committee. The great miners' federation is running its own candidates.

Van teamsters and helpers at Chicago, Ill., have demanded a wage increase of \$1 a week. They now get \$14.

## ATHLETES READY FOR TRACK MEET

Annual Mid-Winter Contest of the High School Occurs Friday Evening—Four Relay Teams.

Twenty Janesville athletes will participate in the annual mid-winter track meet to be held in the high school gymnasium Friday evening. There are numerous candidates for honors in the mile, short dashes, obstacle race and many other events. The several classes will be represented by relay teams and this feature of the contest will be one of the most interesting on the program.

## MAY PERCH ABOVE THE FOOTLIGHTS

Negotiations to Procure Third Floor of Opera House Block for Eagles, Are Under Way.

An effort is being made by the local eagle of Eagles to secure the entire third floor of the opera-house block for permanent club-rooms for the order. If the arrangement is made Manager Peter L. Myers will remodel the entire interior. Sometime in the future, if this arrangement should be made, it is the plan to secure the second floor also for billiard and card rooms and a buffet.

## CHURCH FESTIVAL OF PALM SUNDAY

Occurs on the First Day of the Coming Week—Observance at Trinity Church.

Next Sunday is the day set apart by the Episcopal and Catholic churches for the commemoration of the triumphal entry of the Savior into Jerusalem. At Trinity Episcopal church the choir will march with palms and the altar will be decorated with the tropical greens. Music appropriate to the day has been selected. The church is being fitted out with electric lights and a new floor is being laid in the sanctuary. The improvements are being made by St. Margaret's guild, and Miss Myers assisted by Miss Ada Williams and others have had the supervision of the work.

## DEATH OF LUTHER SMITH FORMERLY OF JANESVILLE

One Time Resident Here Passed Away at Whitewater Wednesday at Age of Eighty-four.

Luther Smith, a former resident of Janesville, died at Whitewater Wednesday at the age of eighty-four. The deceased was born in Verona, Onondaga county, New York, January 21, 1820. With his parents and three brothers he came to Wisconsin in 1841 and settled on a farm six miles south of Whitewater. He was married on April 13, 1843, to Esther Hesley and the couple settled on a farm near the Smith home and lived there nearly forty years. Subsequently this farm was sold and another known as the Brooker farm became their home. After residing there seven years they removed to Milton, and afterwards to Janesville. A few years ago they gave up farming and settled in Whitewater where Mr. Smith followed the trade of a carpenter. He is survived by a wife and three children—George Smith of Battle Creek, Mich., Mrs. Flora Capman of Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. Myrtle Bishop of Janesville.

His wife tones up the throat, makes the voice clear and prevents hoarseness.

To California in a Tourist Sleeper.  
Quick, comfortable and inexpensive via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. A double berth Chicago to San Francisco, San Jose, Santa Barbara or Los Angeles costs only \$7. If you are contemplating a trip to the Pacific coast it is worth your while to call on ticket agents C. M. & St. P. Ry. for folder, etc.

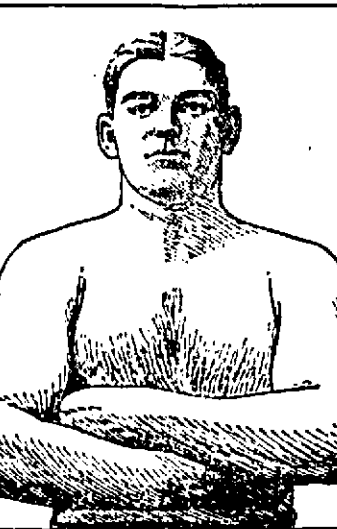
## Wrestler Gotch.

Man Who Won From Jenkins a Wonderful Athlete. His Varied Career.

Frank Gotch, the able wrestler who recently won a bout from Tom Jenkins, the American champion, has been talked of a great deal of late. Although the match was not for the championship title and it was not conducted along officially authorized lines, Gotch has gained wide prestige through his victory, and he is picked to be the man who will ultimately wrest the title from Champion Jenkins.

Gotch is a native of Humboldt, Ia. He defeated Jenkins in Bellingham, Wash. He won two straight falls.

Gotch was "discovered" by Farmer Burns. The Farmer saw the mar-



FRANK GOTCH, THE NEW WRESTLING WONDER.

velous physical endowment of the boy and made him his protégé several years ago. Gotch is built just right for a wrestler. Sleaths of muscles shield his neck, which is scarcely less large than his head. The muscles of his body are as firmly knit as oak, and there is no effeminate waist line. His legs are just like pillars, and his arms are tremendously powerful. That he is all muscle and no fat is evidenced by the fact that for four years he has weighed in at almost exactly 190 pounds.

Seriously more than a boy—he is now only twenty-six—Gotch has more than fulfilled Burns' expectations. "The muscles he found as a plodding farm hand have crushed the proudest of athletes. In an exhibition of the power of his muscles he once lay on a mat, and Farmer Burns sought to throw him over. Burns peeked away at him, lifting first one end of him and then the other, and at the end of the time allowance Gotch, every muscle drawn taut, was occupying the same place on the mat.

"I tell you, boys, he's got the right idea," declared Burns, whose English is as bad as his skill is formidable. "You can do anything you like unless you want to wrestle. But if you're going to make a good wrestler you've got to live temperate. I haven't never told a chew of tobacco nor a drink. Now you can thump my stomach till you're tired, and I'll never feel it. That's what comes from treating your body right, and that's why Gotch is the best man alive today."

If Gotch hadn't gone on a jaunt to Alaska three years ago it is hard to tell whether his prowess as a wrestler would have come to light. He came back in six months with \$35,000, but he didn't take it out of a place mine.

Working under the name of Frank Kennedy, he took a place on the claim of James Brown, up the creek from Dawson. In a friendly scuffle a few weeks later he easily downed a man with some reputation as a wrestler. Next day he was challenged by Billy Murdoch. A few nights later they met on the hard floor of a saloon. In four minutes Gotch had his man on his back and had pocketed \$500. Then he went back to shucking gold dust.

Two lightweight wrestlers near Dawson heard about the newcomer, and when they put up \$2,500 and offered the receipts to the winner Gotch made a date. He agreed to throw them both in an hour, and he left thirty minutes before the time was up with the money in his pocket. Next he took up a challenge from White, next to the best in Alaska, and met him in Dawson. Big money was up on White; but, to the astonishment of all, Gotch won three falls in eighteen minutes and cleared \$3,000 in purse, side bets and gate receipts.

Since Gotch had defeated all others, Silas Archer, champion of Alaska, became interested in the boy miner and put up \$5,000 for a match. "The winner was to get a single fall. Archer was not alone champion of Alaska, but an old resident, and local pride backed him. Miners from all over the Klondike came to the match and brought their dust along. Standing room was fought for at \$10. Values run high in the Klondike, and the next day the Dawson papers said more money was up on the match than on any of the kind ever held in the world. Gotch assumed the aggressive, and in eighteen and a half minutes pushed Archer's shoulder blades to the mat. The total winnings were \$15,640.

After wrestling against time for a few weeks Gotch came back to the United States and took up wrestling in earnest. He met all the state celebrities of Iowa and Nebraska and then set himself to best Jenkins. This has been his aim for two years, backed by Burns, believing implicitly in his ability to down the Cleveland man.

Would Tackle Monroe Again.

Peter Maher is again bobbing up, and the Irish giant wishes another crack at the gladiator of the ring, Jack Monroe.

Deluded Viennese.

The treasure hunting craze has invaded Vienna, and thousands of Viennese are now digging all over the place.

## Baseball Topics.

Ban Johnson Will Again Dominate the Major Leagues & Gossip.

Ban Johnson is the big black shadow that frightens the National league magnates whenever they try to jump over the traces of baseball politics. When the children of any of the said magnates are naughty their nurse says warningly, "Ban Johnson will catch you of yuh doan' watch out," and straightaway the little cherubs obey to the letter. Yes; Ban is a mighty power, and his opponents (he has many) do not make the mistake of underestimating him.

Johnson worked the American league up from a "shoe string" to the leading



BAN JOHNSON, THE NAPOLEON OF BASEBALL.

baseball organization of the times. The credit is his, and he doesn't care who knows it.

This year, as was the case last season, Johnson will have the leading voice in affairs concerning the larger scope of the combined (?) interests of the two major leagues. He is the Napoleon who has wrought havoc with the baseball map. He is an organizer par excellence. He is a fighter who wins. He is a man who dares to fight for whatever he considers to be his rights regardless of the opinion of others.

Ban Johnson is an expansionist. "If you haven't got what you want, get it from some one else, and hang the cost," is his watchword. "Every baseball player has his price" is his motto, and "Everything is possible if your nerve is strong enough" is his firm conviction. Is it hard to understand his success?

The National league leaders are not looking forward to the season about to open with over-whelming joy. They realize that the Americans put up so strong a bid for patronage last year that but three teams of the older organization realized sufficient profit to pay satisfactory dividends.

The defeat of the champion Pittsburghers by Jimmy Collins and his band of Boston braves was another blow to the Nationals, and the loss of several more star players has added to their discomfort. The National league will have to fight desperately for flag fall to finish and only by supplying a gift edged article of bull and by refraining from an over-indulgence of those political squabbles will they close the season with a creditable showing. The Americans are out for blood, and blood they will have if energetic methods are at all effective.

Captain Fred Clarke of the Pittsburgh champions is certain that his doughty Pirates will again capture the National pennant.

Clarke says he has practically all of last season's stars resigned and that



CAPTAIN FRED CLARKE OF THE PITTSBURGH NATIONALS.

his lineup will be stronger than has been the case since Jesus Tannehill and other cranks went over to the Americans.

George Davis, the famous shortstop, and Charley Comiskey had an extended talk recently which ended in Davis signing to play with the Chicago White Sox next season. Davis signed a contract in the fall of 1902 to play with the New York Nationals. The peace conference decided that he must play with Chicago or not at all.

With the exception of a few games with the New Yorks, Davis did not play in either of the big leagues last season, he being enjoined by the United States circuit court from playing with any team but Chicago.

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## LAND FIGHT HAS BECOME GENERAL

CONGRESS IS DISTURBED BY THE QUARLES BILL.

### MATTERS ARE COMPLICATED

Great Struggle to Reclaim the Arid Western Lands May Result in Victory for the Small Farmers.

A sharp fight marked the opening of the campaign in Congress to secure the passage of the Quarles bill which provides for the repeal of the timber and stone act, the commutation clause of the homestead act and the desert land bill in the Public Lands committee and moved that the committee report the bill to the Senate. The battle was on in an instant, the members of the committee lining up sharply for and against the bill. The chairman, Senator Hensbrough, immediately assumed vigorous opposition to the consideration of the measure and refused to bring the question to a vote. This unprecedented action caused extreme bitterness. It quickly became apparent that a majority of the committee favored the reporting of the bill. These senators were Hensbrough, Nelson of Minnesota, Dietrich of Nebraska, Gibson of Montana, Newlands of Nevada, Berry of Arkansas, McLaurin of Mississippi and McEnery of Louisiana; those against the bill were Hensbrough of North Dakota, Fulton of Utah and Gamble of South Dakota.

Several senators characterized the chairman's position as most unusual, arbitrary and unparliamentary and Senator Berry threatened to take the bill in onto the floor of the Senate, explain the anomalous situation of a majority of a committee in favor of reporting a bill but unable to do so, ask that the committee be discharged and that the bill be placed before the Senate.

Such a bitter fight over a strictly non-partisan measure is regarded as most singular and it is freely asserted that there must be some strong incentive to warrant men in going to such unusual lengths in their efforts to prevent any action whatever upon or even discussion of a measure recognized as one which will save the public lands of the West from private absorption. The statement which immediately found its way into circulation that a compromise, suggested by Senator Hensbrough had been agreed to by the pivotal members of the committee is without foundation. A majority of the committee favors the Quarles bill and will undoubtedly insist upon getting it before the Senate. Even should any compromise measure develop a majority in the Public Lands committee, the minority will bring in a report which, as one Senator stated, will be an eye-opener to the Senate and to the country as to the legalized land frauds and land grabbing practices now in operation in the western state under these three laws.

The matter is to again come up for consideration next week, and in the meantime no radical action is expected.

The President's Land Commission.  
The special public lands commission appointed by the President to report to Congress on the operation of the land laws in the west has made a partial return, the principle feature of the commission will continue its investigations of the desert land law and which is a recommendation for the repeal of the timber and stone act, the commutation clause of the homestead law. The report is signed by W. A. Richards, the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Gifford Pinchot, the Forester of the Department of Agriculture and F. H. Newell, the head of the Irrigation Reclamation Service.

Against Land Grabbing.  
The big stockmen and timber men of the west who have forty or fifty thousand acres of land and who are ambitious to increase it to one hundred thousand acres will have to move lively and rustle some dummies and substitutes to make 100 or 320 acre entries under the timber and stone act or the desert land act, or the commutation clause of the homestead act, or they will not fulfil their desires. The country and Congress is beginning to wake up to the importance of saving this western public domain, our greatest resource to-day, with national irrigation an established government policy, and converting it into homes for settlers and homesteaders. It looks as though the days of the speculator and the land-grabber were numbered.

GUY E. MITCHELL.

## JANESVILLE MARKET REPORT

Quotations on Grain and Produce Reported for the Gazette.

REPORTED BY F. A. BROWN & CO.

March 23, 1904.

Flour—2nd Pat. at \$1.40 to \$1.45 2nd Pat

at \$1.35 to \$1.40 per sack.

Wheat—No. 2 Winter, 78¢; No. 3 Spring

75¢; No. 4 72¢.

Rye—By sample, at 70¢ per bu.

Barley—Extra 44¢; fair to good malting

43¢; fair to good, 42¢.

Corn—Fair, new, per ton, \$11-\$12.00 depending

on quality.

Oats—No. 2 white, 35¢; No. 1, 33¢; No. 3,

32¢; No. 4, 31¢.

Timothy—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Hay—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Straw—No. 1, 15¢; No. 2, 14¢.

Wool—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Butter—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Eggs—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Chicken—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Duck—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Geese—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Pork—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Beef—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Lamb—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Mutton—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Veal—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Poultry—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Game—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Wild—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Fish—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

Shell—No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 24¢.

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Cosmopolitan Plant.  
In the large power plant installed in the Mysore country, in southern India, the timber came from Australia, the insulators from Italy, the hydraulic plant from Switzerland, the penstock pipes from Scotland and the entire electric plant from America.

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The death plant of Java has flowers which continually give off a perfume so powerful as to overcome, if inhaled for any length of time, a full grown man, and which kills all forms of insect life that come under its influence.

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# COUNTY NEWS

**CLINTON.**  
Clinton, March 21.—Last Tuesday afternoon the funeral of Mrs. M. P. Treat was held at her late home, when a large number of friends gathered to pay their last respects to one who in thirty-five years of residence in our village, had found a warm place in the hearts of all who knew her. Rev. T. J. Parsons, her former pastor, feelingly spoke words of comfort to the sorrowing ones. Mrs. Treat had been a member of the Baptist church for forty years and the influence of her exemplary Christian life will be felt for a long time to come.

Mrs. Stewart Lake returned last Tuesday from a five weeks visit at La Crosse.

Rev. and Mrs. Moore entertained their Sunday school classes last Tuesday evening. The time was spent in remembrance and social intercourse. Light refreshments were served, and all present pronounced it a very pleasant evening.

Miss Alma Vater of Lawrence University is home for the spring vacation.

Last Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Eldridge, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Herron, and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pratt entertained about 175 of their friends at a six o'clock tea in Drake's hall. The room and tables were prettily decorated in green and white, while the green place cards were shaped to represent the snakes and frogs that were banished from Ireland by St. Patrick. Through the three courses of an elaborate menu, green and orange were conspicuous. After the tables were cleared a program was listened to with much interest, consisting of selection by a male quartet as follows: Messrs. Herron, Patten, Rogers, and Howard. Reading by Misses Townsend and Tuttle, and several songs by Miss Chamberlain of Beloit, who while singing revealed that of the sweetest contralto. Her voice was remarkably for one so young, and is well worth cultivating. The excellent entertainment and social chat brought the hour for departure all too quickly and the evening passed into remembrance as one of the most pleasant of the many parties given in Clinton this winter.

School closes next Friday for a two week's vacation.

The Ladies of the M. E. church will serve Easter supper on Thursday evening, March 31st.

The population of Clinton is increasing. March 15, 1905 will be the first birthday of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilles' daughter and also of the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mayo, while the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gardner will celebrate his about a week earlier.

Clinton high school speaking contest will be held at the M. E. church on Friday evening, March 25, at 8 o'clock. Admission 20 cents.

C. T. Kinyon and family expect to move to Rockford in the near future. Miss Anna Smith spent a few days in Rockford last week and while there visited Mrs. Bullough whom she reports as improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWald entertained the teachers of our school last Friday evening. It is needless to say all had a pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheever and F. R. Helmer attended the Press Association at Fond du Lac last week.

Porter, March 22.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Donnelly rejoice over the safe arrival of a son. All doing finely.

Mrs. G. W. Nichols has been under the doctor's care the past week but is improving.

Frank Boss' folks have been entertaining the Dutch measles, but are all well again.

Miss Ella Ford has returned to the Evansville seminary for the spring term, but her sister has decided to stay at home.

N. A. Pound has leased his farm here to G. Christian and Will Nichols, has let his farm to A. Brown.

Martin Kennedy is to write the Scofield farm vacated by M. Nottad. He is now advertising for a housekeeper.

J. Hart is moving his family onto the old Farle homestead.

Most of the tobacco in this locality is at last stripped. But very little of it is sold yet. Some of the farmers are just awakening to the fact that there is more "sure money" in milking cows than in tobacco.

G. W. Nichols' folks now ride in a new surrey.

School in the Eagle district closes next week. After a week's vacation the same teacher, Miss Mary Roberly, will commence the spring term.

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## LODGE CALENDAR.

**Masonic.**  
Western Star Lodge, No. 14, F. and A. M., meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Janesville Lodge, No. 55, F. and A. M., 2nd and 4th Monday.  
Janesville Chapter, No. 5, I. O. O. F., 1st and 3rd Thursday.  
Janesville Commandery, No. 2, K. T., 2nd and 4th Thursday.  
Janesville Chapter, No. 60, U. E. M., 2nd and 4th Wednesday.  
I. O. O. F.  
Wisconsin Lodge, No. 14, Every Wednesday.  
Janesville City Lodge, No. 90, Every Tuesday.  
Rock River Encampment, No. 5, 1st and 3rd Friday.  
Social and Athletic Club, No. 9, Patriarchs, 2nd and 4th Friday.  
American Lodge, No. 28, U. of M. 2nd and 4th Saturday.  
Janesville Club, 1st Thursday.  
Janesville Lodge, No. 171, D. of R., 2nd and 4th Thursday.  
Catholic Knights of Wisconsin, Branch, No. 90, 1st Sunday.  
Elks.  
Janesville Lodge, No. 234, Every Tuesday.  
G. A. R.  
W. H. Sargent Post, No. 2n, 2nd and 4th Friday.  
W. H. Sargent Corps, No. 21, W. H. C., Every Alternate Tuesday.  
Hibernians.  
Division, No. 1, 2nd Sunday.  
Social and Athletic Club, 1st Thursday.  
Janesville Chapter, No. 10, 2nd and 4th Thursday.  
Knights of the Macabees.  
Rock River Tent, No. 51, 1st and 3rd Monday.  
Rock River Live, No. 71, Ladies of the Macabees, 1st and 3rd Monday.  
Knights of Pythias.  
Oriental Lodge, No. 22, Meets every Friday.  
Modern Woodmen of America.  
Florence Camp No. 301, 2nd and 4th Monday.  
Crystal Camp, No. 122, 2nd and 4th Wednesday.  
National Union.  
Janesville Council, No. 229, 1st Wednesday.  
United Workmen.  
Fraternal Reserve Association meets first and third Thursdays at 8 o'clock.  
Olive Branch, No. 50, 2nd and 4th Friday.  
St. Patrick's Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Honor, 1st and 3rd Wednesday.  
Lafayette Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor, 1st and 3rd Thursday.  
Buckeye Council, No. 229, Royal Arcanum, 2nd and 4th Monday.  
Independent Order of Foresters, 4th Monday.  
Mystic Workers of the World, 1st and 3rd Tuesday.  
Omaha Council, No. 214, Royal League, 1st and 3rd Tuesday.  
Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters, 2nd and 4th Tuesday.  
Measures, 2nd and 4th Tuesday.  
Clary, No. 2, R. H. R. F., 4th Wednesday.  
St. Patrick's Court, No. 318, W. C. O. F., meets 1st and 3rd Monday.  
In the month of West Side Odd Fellows' Hall, Crystal Camp, No. 122, R. N. A.  
Rock River Grand, P. of H.  
Buckeye Court, No. 1, Tribe of Ben Hur, 2nd and 4th Thursday.  
Knights of Columbus, 1st and 3rd Thursday.  
Janesville Lodge, No. 400, I. O. O. F., Every Friday.  
Buckeye City Verein, No. 11, Germania, Unterhaltungs Verein, 3rd Friday.  
Buckeye Council, No. 109, U. C. F., 1st and 3rd Saturday.  
Janesville Assembly of Equitable Fraternal Union, No. 171, meets the first and third Mondays of each month at the Caledonian hall, Carle block.  
St. Paul's Union, 3d Tuesday.  
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**Labor Organizations.**  
Journeyman Barbers' Union, 1st Monday.  
Joiners, Paperhangers & Decorators Union, 1st and 3rd Monday.  
Journeyman Tailors' Union, 2nd Monday.  
Leather Workers.  
Hewers' Union, 1st and 3rd Tuesday.  
Retail Clerks' Union, 3d Tuesday.  
Mechanists' Union, 2nd and 4th Wednesday.  
Federal Labor Union, 1st and 3rd Wednesday.  
Typographical Union, 3d Sunday, at 2 o'clock.  
Trade Council, Building Trades Council, 2nd and 4th Wednesday.  
Woodworkers' Union, 4th Thursday.  
Brewers' Union, 1st and 3rd Tuesday.  
Shoe Workers' Union, 1st Thursday.  
Plumbers' Union, 1st and 3rd Thursday.  
Teamsters' Union, 1st and 3rd Thursday.  
Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers' Union, 1st and 3rd Friday.  
Bicycle and Machine Union, Brotherhead of Locomotive Firemen, 1st and 3rd Saturday.

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## RICHMOND

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Miss Alice Dunn and gentleman friend spent Saturday evening at Taos, Canyon.

Herman Schlarf delivered his tobacco to Janesville Wednesday.

Gus Hartwig and wife visited Beolt relatives recently.

Messrs. J. T. and E. L. Hennessey were guests at the parental home last week.

Miss Josephine Taylor of Delavan visited her sister, Mrs. W. D. Marlane, a few days.

Miss Edna Dunbar and Mr. Will Krantz were united in marriage on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Dunbar. R. W. Taylor, executive superintendent, and now justice of the peace, performed the ceremony. The happy couple will reside on the Utter farm at Utter's Corners. This is R. W. Taylor's first attempt at anything of this kind, but he stood the ordeal well, and is liable to have many more such calls, as the pastor here has not yet been ordained.

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Our Stock of Wall Paper

The styles and patterns this year are beautiful, and the assortment large. Prices from 5c, 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c, up to \$2 per roll. We employ only the best workmen and guarantee all work satisfactory, or if you prefer to do your own decorating, we will be satisfied to sell you the paper.

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Ours are proving so—the business to date has been all that could be desired, and every day now adds new suits to the line—Whether you want a suit for ten dollars or one for thirty, you can find it here and to your liking. Have two sample suits that show plenty of the new ideas and no two alike. Excellent suits at \$15, \$16 1/2, and \$18.

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A line of polka dot foulard silks in a nice quality suitable for shirt waist suits, width 19 inches, colors black, champagne, cadet, green, tan and brown, all with white dots, price per yard 33c, 26 yards for a suit, \$6.60.

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Rustle or chiffon finish, good weight and just the thing for linings and similar purposes, width 19 inches, price 49 cents per yard.

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Fancy cotton voiles and similar goods for Suits at 15c and 22c per yard—New white mercerized waists at 25c, 35c and 50c per yard—Blue all-India suitings in two weights, light per yard 25c, heavy 50c. For boys' wear a heavy linen suit at 15c per yard.

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## EAU CLAIRE IS ENTHUSIASTIC

OVER PROSPECTS OF A BEET SUGAR FACTORY.

### MR. HAPKE LEFT TODAY

For That City to Arrange for Big Mass Meeting Tomorrow Night—Looks Like a "Go."

Theodore Hapke left this afternoon for Eau Claire to make arrangements for the big mass-meeting called by the Business Men's association in that city tomorrow evening to consider the proposition of building a beet-sugar factory in that city next year. F. S. Winslow arrived on the scene early in the week and great interest is everywhere manifested in the project.

To Ask 1,000 Acres  
A guarantee of 1,000 acres of beets next year and 1,000 acres for the Janesville factory this year will be the conditions offered by the Davidson interests. It is believed that these conditions will be met. The Eau Claire newspapers manifest great enthusiasm over the prospects and urge the citizens to come to the front.

Twin Factory to Ours  
The residents have been given to understand that a factory similar in size equipment, output, to the one to be established in Janesville will be built if they do their part. Says the Eau Claire Leader: "It is the most momentous period in the history of Eau Claire. If this plant is obtained the city will take a great step in its outward march. There is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at the flood leads on to fortune. Omitted, all the voyage of their lives is bound in shallows and miseries. On this full sea, are we now afloat and we must take the current while it serves or lose our venture."

## THE KING OF COMIC OPERA

Large Audience Had a Rare Treat Last Evening—Francis Wilson & Co. Stars in "Erminie"

Francis Wilson in the role of the ragged, cringing, weasel-faced "Cadeaux"—a serious character made humorous by cockney English mannerisms, bright lines, amusing antics, and the total absence of any moral standard in the make-up, delighted a large audience at the Myers theatre last evening. William Broderick as his companion "Ray," partner and commanding officer in the pocket-picking expeditions, was an admirable foil for the star, and the rest of the support was uniformly excellent. The production of "Erminie" was gorgeously staged, the ball-room scene that Marguerite Sylvia who fully brilliant. It was during this scene that Marguerite Sylvia, who played the name part, sang the beautiful lullaby song and Jesse Bartlett Davis won repeated applause with her contralto solo "Two Eyes of Brown." Clara Belle Jerome and Francis Wilson in the duet "Joseph, James and John" were recalled six times, and a similar reception was accorded the star and chorus after the singing of "The Dicky Bird." One of Cadeaux' characteristic traits to the Princess "Grandpiano" with whom he was affecting to be enamored while he robbed her of her jewels, was: "May the skin of a gooseberry be a big enough umbrella to shelter all your enemies." At the close of the second act Francis Wilson was called before the curtain. He made a witty response and succeeded admirably in satisfying the audience without saying anything in particular. "Ladies and gentlemen and people of Roscoe: The way you have laughed and applauded shows an intelligence almost human. The more people laugh and applaud, the better the performance. If this was only understood what judgments of applause we would have. I am glad the ladies are here—also the gentlemen. The presence of a man on any occasion gives it an air of respectability. Paraphrasing a well known Shakespearean student I will say in behalf of my company—for us and our comely, here's stooping to our clemency—we beg to thank you cordially."

There were some vacant seats in the house. The tuba player in the orchestra said that they were the first company had seen since last November. He also took occasion to murmur against the hotel accommodations here, complaining that there were dust-filled spider webs hanging over his head and that he was served with a towel which a former occupant of his room had used to shine his shoes with. Nearly every hostility in the city was filled yesterday, and it was with difficulty that some, including the musicians, obtained any accommodations whatsoever.

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### CURRENT NEWS NOTES

Meet-Friday: The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will hold its annual business meeting Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers for the ensuing year and reports of officers will take place. It is important that every member should be present.

Kennedy Players Tonight—Tonight at the Myers Theatre the Kennedy Players will reopen their week's engagement, appearing in the melodrama "The Midnight Express." Saturday afternoon there will be a matinee presentation of "Tom Sawyer." The high character of the performances already given by the company should be a guarantee of well filled houses on all the succeeding evenings.

His Brother Ill: Dr. J. W. St. John's trip to Chicago was made necessary by the critical illness of his brother, Dr. S. St. John. The latter is well known in Janesville and his many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

### LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Janesville Commandery, No. 2, Knights Templar, at Masonic hall, Ben Hur Court, No. 1, 'Tribes of Ben Hur, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Janesville Lodge, No. 171, Daughters of Rebekah, at West Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Woodworkers' union at Assembly hall.  
Electrical Workers' union at Assembly hall.

### FUTURE EVENTS

Thurber art exhibition at public library building this afternoon and evening. Exhibit closes Friday evening.  
Kennedy Players appear at Myers theatre in "The Midnight Express," Thursday evening, March 24.

### BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

New wall paper at Skelly's.  
For spring wall-paper and Patton's sun proof paints "Talk to Lowell."  
W. B. C. opens April 5th.  
Smoked whitefish, Nash.  
Fresh fish at Taylor Bros'.  
Fresh whitefish, trout and bullheads, at C. N. Vankirk's Friday morning.

Yellow pike, Nash.  
Trout, yellow pike, whitefish, and bullheads at Taylor Bros'.  
Corner Stone the best patent flour on earth, \$1.35, Nash.  
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Silver smelt, Nash.  
Skinned bullheads at Taylor Bros'.  
Hullbut and salmon, trout steak, Nash.  
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Veal steak, 15c lb. Nash.  
Good table pears, 10c per can at Taylor Bros'.  
Hullbut steak, Nash.  
Ben Hur will dance next Tuesday evening, March 29, at Central hall. Music by Smith's orchestra.

Get your fish order in early, Nash.  
No. 1 trout, hullbut steak, silver smelt, smoked whitefish, Nash.  
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Fresh fish, W. W. Nash.  
Our assortment of new wall papers the largest ever shown in the city. All the newest popular tints, crepe, ingrain tapestry, floral patterns and two tones. We buy direct from manufacturers and are always prepared to offer the latest styles at the lowest prices. Come in to Skelly's bookstore and judge for yourself.

2 packages Graham crackers, 25c, Nash.  
Don't fail to see the large sample line of ladies' tailor made suits, shirt waist suits, skirts and separate jackets shown by the agent at our store Saturday, March 26th. Special measurements, guaranteed to fit, also taken. T. P. Burns.

The orange season will soon be over, Nash.  
The Swedish system of physiological exercise promotes health, strength and happiness. It positively cures indigestion, constipation, nervousness, insomnia, bronchitis, in chronic consumption, and revitalizes the whole body. Mr. F. Bentley, special representative of Mr. Swoboda, is in Janesville, giving personal instructions in this wonderful system, and will be pleased to call on anyone sending him a postal card addressed to No. 55 N. bluff St.

New honey, 12 1/2c lb. Nash.  
Best 25c coffee on earth.  
Best 50c tea on earth.

NASH.  
We pay 17c cash or trade for fresh eggs, Nash.  
Mystic Workers' dance Easter Monday April 4th, East Side Odd Fellows' hall.

### FUNERAL SERVICES HELD THIS MORNING

Dean E. M. McGinnity Officiated at St. Patrick's Church—Many Friends Present.

Funeral services over the remains of the late James Murphy were held this morning at 9:15 o'clock from St. Patrick's church, Rev. E. M. McGinnity officiating. The Ancient Order of Hibernians and a large delegation from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen attended the funeral in a body. At the conclusion of the services the remains were taken to Mt. Olivet cemetery and interred in their last resting place.  
The pallbearers were Thomas F. Heagerty, George Hadden, Joseph McDonald, James Sennett, James Sheridan and John McCue.

Mrs. Thomas Tracey  
At one o'clock this morning death summoned Mrs. Thomas Tracey, aged thirty-eight years, at her home in Affton, after an illness of three weeks with pneumonia. Deceased has been a resident of Affton for many years and her death will be mourned by her many friends. A husband is left to mourn the loss of a devoted wife. Funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's church, Saturday morning, at 10:30.  
Deceased also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Dangler of Chicago, Mrs. Gorman of Rhineclander, Wis., and three brothers, Michael and Patrick Hestett of Palmyra, and Thomas Hestett of Beaver Dam.

Myers House Sale  
Sale of furnishings still continues, open all day; furniture and furnishings cost \$12,000. Only a few hundred dollars' worth sold. Everything for sale. Prices to suit. Beds and bedding, bedroom furniture, crockery, carpets, &c. Come in and look it over. Johnson & Stevens, agents.

A meeting of the republican city committee, and of the several republican ward committees, and of all republican nominees for city and ward offices is hereby called to be held Saturday evening, March 26th, 1904, at 7:30 p. m. at the city hall. W. J. McINTYRE, Secretary.  
M. O. MOUAT, Chairman.

## SAVAGE DOG A DECIDED MENACE

SON OF WALTON SHERMAN WAS BADLY BITTEN YESTERDAY.

### WHERE IS THE DOG LICENSE?

Here Would Be a Chance to Start a Crusade Against the Numerous Curs of the City.

The question of licensing dogs and thus ridding the city of a lot of snapping curs has again come into prominence through the perhaps serious accident to the young son of Walton Sherman, who resides with his parents on Milton avenue. The young boy was badly bitten yesterday by a savage dog and the wound is so deep that it is possible complications may set in and cause serious trouble. With a dog tag imposed and enforced such savage dogs would be exterminated and danger from this source done away with.

Badly Bitten  
Young Sherman was on his way to a neighbor's on an errand for his mother when he encountered two dogs fighting savagely. They were so near the door of the house he was about to enter that one of the enraged animals turned on the boy as he tried to slip past and buried his teeth in the boy's leg, causing a deep and dangerous wound.

Physician Called  
Dr. Frank Farnsworth was immediately called and dressed the wound, after thoroughly cleansing it to avoid any possibility of hydrophobia. The boy's story coincided with that of witnesses who saw the accident and no blame is attached to the boy on the ground of meddling with the fighting beasts. The dogs are both known to be savage and snappy and many persons who are forced to drive that way frequently have complained that they chase their horses and snap and bark at them, sometimes for blocks.

Should Rid City  
One gentleman who has a dog of his own stated this morning: "I am in favor of the council passing a stringent dog license measure and then seeing that it is enforced. There are too many ugly dogs in all parts of the city and they should be cleaned out. Why, right by the corner of the Myers hotel there is hardly a day that a half dozen dog fights do not occur and unless the dogs of the city are cleaned out someone will be badly bitten. Madison has a dog license ordinance that is a source of revenue to the city; why not Janesville?"

Card of Thanks  
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### THE WEATHER

Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. registered thermometer at Belmont's drugstore; highest, 55 above; lowest, 34 above; ther, at 7 a. m., 40; at 3 p. m., 50; wind, south.

Mrs. W. H. Van Wle of Maunton is visiting with her son, F. L. Van Wle, at his home, 23 Milwaukee avenue.

Having opened up a meat market on First Floor we were compelled to move our Shoe Dept. onto Second Floor, and assorting and looking over the stock we find we have quite a lot of Remnants in

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ELGIN BUTTER MARKET (Special Telegram.)

Elgin, Ill., March 21.—Butter—Official, 24 1/2c; firm. No offerings or sales.

## L. S. TIDYMAN IS TO LEAVE CITY

Has Accepted a Position in Racine—Al. Smith Will Assume Management of Confectionery Store.

Dennis Hayes of Chicago whose son, Frank Hayes, was in partnership with L. S. Tidyman in the confectionary store on the Milwaukee street bridge up to the time of his death, was in the city today to make arrangements for closing out his son's interest. L. S. Tidyman has accepted a position with a confectionary firm in Racine and will leave Janesville. The stock and fixtures have been sold to Alderman Edward Connel who store adjoints, and Al Smith is to take complete charge of the store in a few days. The latter ran a confectionary store there for sixteen years, retiring last August.

## ROCK RIVER IS STILL RISING

Is Now Five Feet Above Low Water Mark—Dr. Horne Says Highest in Fifteen Years.

Within the past forty hours the Rock river has risen a half a foot and is now five feet above the low water mark on E. B. Helmstreet's board. Dr. William Horne who has kept track of the river measurements for forty years says that the water is now higher than it has been at any time during the past fifteen years. He stated yesterday that the water was within sixteen inches of the famous high water-mark of years ago.

No Fear for Dam  
Dr. Horne does not believe that there is any danger of the Monterey dam going out. It is strongly constructed and if it gives way at all it will only be in places. The yearly stage of high water is from March 24 to 27.

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## BURGLARIZED IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

BENNETT RESIDENCE ON CHERRY STREET, ENTERED TODAY.

### FOUND THE DOORS BOLTED

Mrs. Murdock and Three Companions Unable to Get In, But Heard Footsteps in Rooms.

When Mrs. Floyd Murdock, accompanied by Mrs. Dolan and the Misses Halverson and Paulson, visited the house located at 56 Cherry street and owned by the late Mrs. R. J. Bennett, this afternoon they found the front door bolted on the inside. As the knob was tried hurried footsteps were heard within. Mrs. Murdock instructed her companions to stand guard and hastened to a neighbor's house to call the police by telephone.

Broke In Through Window  
Officer Brown was summoned and arrived on the scene shortly thereafter. It was found upon an examination of the premises that the woodshed door in the rear had been wrenched from its hinges and used as a ladder to gain access to a small window in the house. The window had been shattered and there were evidences to show that the whole house had been ransacked.

House Was Unoccupied  
Besides the furnishings the only articles of value in the house consisted in some gowns that had been left in one of the wardrobes. Several of these were missing. It is thought that the entrance was effected in broad daylight and that the burglars made their escape through the rear window while the ladies were standing guard in front. The house has not been occupied since the death of Mrs. R. J. Bennett. The household goods were all packed by neighbors so it cannot be ascertained what is missing.

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W. Scott Thurber Will Tell About Costly Canvases and Their Creators.]

Great interest is being manifested in the fine art collection now on exhibition at the public library and there was a large attendance last evening. The water-colors and oils are unsurpassed by anything of the kind ever shown here before and in addition to these there are a large number of reproductions in black and white and in brown of Rembrandt, Holbein, and the other old masters. W. Scott Thurber, owner of the collection, will be present this evening and will tell something about the artists who painted the pictures, their distinguishing characteristics, and the schools to which they belong.

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selfs looking into each other's eyes. At once something—perhaps the latent silence of the schooner—told them there was to be no answer. The two ran forward. Moran swung herself into the fo'c'sle hatch and without using the ladder dropped to the deck below. In an instant her voice came up to the hatch:

"The bunks are empty—they're gone—abandoned us!" She came up the ladder again.

"Look," said Wilbur as she regained the deck. "The dory's gone. They've taken it. It was our only boat. We can't get ashore."

"Cowardly, superstitious rats, I should have expected this. They would be chopped in bits before they would stay longer on board this boat—they and their Feng shui!"

When morning came the deserters could be made out camped on the shore, near to the beached dory. What their intentions were could not be conjectured. Hidden with all manner of nameless oriental superstitions, it was evident that the Chinamen preferred any hazard of fortune to remaining longer upon the schooner.

"Well, can we get along without them?" said Wilbur. "Can we two work the schooner back to port ourselves?"

"We'll try it on anyhow, mate," said Moran. "We might get her into San Diego anyhow."

The Chinamen had left plenty of provision on board, and Moran cooked breakfast. Fortunately, by 8 o'clock a very light westerly breeze came up. Moran and Wilbur cast off the tacks and set the fore and main sails.

Wilbur was busy at the forward bits preparing to cast loose from the kelp, and Moran had taken up her position at the wheel when suddenly she exclaimed:

"Sail ho! And in God's name what kind of a sail do you call it?"

In fact, a strange looking craft had just made her appearance at the entrance of Magdalena bay.

## CHAPTER VII.

WILBUR returned aft and joined Moran on the quarter deck. She was already studying the stranger's through the glass.

"That's a new build of boat to me," she muttered, giving Wilbur the glass. Wilbur looked long and carefully. The newcomer was of the size and much the same shape—as a caravel of the fifteenth century—high as to bow and stern, and to all appearances as seaworthy as a soup tureen. Never but in the old prints had Wilbur seen such an extraordinary boat. She carried a single mast, which listed forward; her lug sail was stretched upon dozens of bamboo yards; she drew hardly any water. Two enormous red eyes were painted upon either side of her high, blunt bow, while just about the waist projected an enormous oar, or sweep, full forty feet in length—longer, in fact, than the vessel herself. It acted partly as a propeller, partly as a rudder.

"They're heading for us," commented Wilbur as Moran took the glass again.

"Right," she answered, adding upon the moment: "Hoh! More Chinamen. The thing is alive with coolies. She's a junk."

"Oh!" exclaimed Wilbur, recollecting some talk of Charlie's he had overheard. "I know."

"You know?"

"Yes. These are real beachcombers. I've heard of them along this coast—heard our Chinamen speak of them. They beach that junk every night and camp on shore. They're scavengers, as you might say—pick up what they can find or plunder along shore—abalones, shark fins, pickings of wrecks, old brass and copper, seals, perhaps; turtle and shell. Between whiles they fish for shrimp, and I've heard Kitchell tell how they make pearls by dropping bird shot into oysters. They are Kachigah to a man, and, according to Kitchell, the wickedest breed of cats that ever cut teeth."

The junk bore slowly down upon the schooner. In a few moments she had come to alongside. But for the enormous red eyes upon her bow she was innocent of paint. She was grained and shellacked with dirt and grease and smelled abominable. Her crew were Chinamen, but such Chinamen! The coolies of the Bertha Miller were pampered and effete in comparison. The beachcombers, thirteen in number, were a smaller class of men, their faces almost black with tan and dirt. Though they still wore the cane, their heads were not shaven, and matted and mops of stiff black hair fell over their eyes from under their broad, basket shaped hats.

They were barefoot. None of them wore more than two garments, the jeans and the blouse. They were the lowest type of men Wilbur had ever seen. The faces were those of a higher order of anthropoid apes; the lower portion—jaws, lips and teeth—salient; the nostrils opening at almost right angles, the eyes tiny and bright, the forehead seamed and wrinkled, unnaturally old. Their general expression was one of sly cunning and a ferocity that was utterly devoid of courage.

"Ayel!" exclaimed Moran between her teeth. "If the devil were a shepherd, here are his sheep. You don't come aboard this schooner, my friends! I

want to live as long as I can and die when I can't help it. Boat ahoy!" she called.

An answer in Cantonese slang came back from the junk, and the speaker gestured toward the outside ocean.

Then a long parleying began. For upward of half an hour Moran and Wilbur listened to a proposition in broken pigeon English made by the beachcombers again and again and yet again and were in no way enlightened.

It was impossible to understand. Then at last they made out that there was question of a whale. Next it appeared the whale was dead, and, finally, after a prolonged pantomime of gesturing and pointing, Moran guessed that the beachcombers wanted the use of the Bertha Miller to trice up the dead leviathan while the oil and whalebone were extracted.

"That must be it," she said to Wilbur. "That's what they mean by pointing to our masts and tackle. You see, they couldn't manage with that stick of theirs, and they say they'll give us a third of the loot. We'll do it, mate, and I'll tell you why. The wind has fallen, and they can tow us out. If it's a sperm whale they've found there ought to be thirty or forty barrels of oil in him, let alone the blubber and bone. Oil is at \$50 now, and sperm-meat will always bring \$100. We'll take it on, mate, but we'll keep our eyes on the rate all the time. I don't want them aboard at all. Look at their belts. Not three out of the dozen who aren't carrying those filthy little hatchets. Fough!" she exclaimed, with a shudder of disgust. "Such vipers!"

What followed proved that Moran had guessed correctly. A rope was

cast to the junk, and Moran and Wilbur set about cutting the carcass of the whale adrift. They found it would be easier to cut away the hide from around the hooks and loops of the tackle than to unfasten the tackle itself.

"The knots are jammed hard as steel," declared Moran. "Hand up that cutting-in spade; stand by with the other and cut loose at the same time as I do, so we can ease off the strain on these lines at the same time. Ready there, cut!" Moran set free the hook in the loop of black skin in a couple of strokes, but Wilbur was more clumsy; the skin resisted. He struck at it sharply with the heavy spade. The blade hit the iron hook, glanced off and opened a large slit in the carcass below the head. A gush of entrails started from the slit, and Moran swore under breath.

"Ease away, quick there! You'll have the mast out of her next—steady! Hold your spade—what's that?"

Wilbur had nerved himself against the dreadful stench he expected would issue from the putrid monster, but he was surprised to note a pungent, sweet and spicy odor that all at once made thick the air about him. It was an aromatic smell, stronger than that of the salt ocean, stronger even than the reek of oil and blubber from the schooner's waist—sweet as incense, penetrating as attar, delicious as a summer breeze.

"It smells pretty good, whatever it is," he answered. Moran came up to where he stood and looked at the slit he had made in the whale's carcass. Out of it was bulking some kind of dull white matter marbled with gray. It was a hard lump of irregular shape and about as big as a hoghead.

Moran glanced over to the junk, some forty feet distant. The beachcombers were hoisting the lug sail. Hoang was at the steering oar.

"Get that stuff aboard," she commanded quietly.

"That!" exclaimed Wilbur, pointing to the lump.

Moran's blue eyes were beginning to gleam.

"Yes, and do it before the Chinamen see you."

"But—but I don't understand."

Moran stepped to the quarter deck, unslinging the hammock in which Wilbur slept and tossed it to him.

"Teevee it up in that. I'll pass you a line, and we'll haul it aboard. Godsend, those vermin yonder have got smells enough of their own without noticing this. Hurry, mate. I'll talk afterward."

Wilbur went over the side and, standing as best he could upon the slippery carcass, dug out the lump and bound it up in the hammock.

"Ho!" exclaimed Moran, with sudden exultation. "There's a lot of it. That's the biggest lump yet. I'll be bound. Is that all there is, mate? Look carefully." Her voice had dropped to a whisper.

"Yes, yes; that's all. Careful now when you haul up. Hoang has got his eye on you, and so have the rest of them. What do you call it anyhow? Why are you so particular about it? Is it worth anything?"

"I don't know—perhaps. We'll have a look at it anyway."

Moran hauled the stuff aboard, and Wilbur followed.

"Whew!" he exclaimed with half closed eyes. "It's like the story of Samson and the dead lion—the sweet coming forth from the strong."

The schooner seemed to swim in a bath of perfumed air. The membrane of the nostrils fairly pringed with the sensation. Moran unlashed the hammock and, going down upon one knee, examined the lump attentively.

And indeed the dead monster proved a veritable treasure trove. By the end of the day he had been triced up to the foremast, and all hands, straining at the windlass, had raised the mighty head out of the water. The Chinamen descended upon the smooth, black body, their bare feet sliding and slipping at every step. They held on by jabbing their knives into the hide as glacier climbers do their ice picks. The head yielded barrel after barrel of oil and a fair quantity of bone. The blubber was taken aboard the junk, minced up with hatchets and run into

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After awhile, if you neglect this, you will have serious troubles—big ones. The headache will be more severe, your brain power weakened and you will have neuralgia and other head troubles. Your food will not digest, your kidneys will be troublesome, your blood will become poisoned, and the acute and chronic troubles will face you. For all nervous disorders

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Is a wonderful remedy—but while it will cure at any stage, it is much easier to cure the incipient than the chronic cases. It feeds, invigorates and builds up the entire system, and in so doing cures the diseased organs.

"I was very nervous, could not sleep, had headache, indigestion, constipation and twitching of muscles—it was terrible. I would have completely exhausted. My eyes would perk, had sick headache, my eyes and hands swell, in fact so completely worn out, that my mind was as weak as a child's. After taking Dr. Miles' Nervine for a time, am completely cured, and enjoying health."

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#### ADVICE TO INDIANS.

##### President Talks of Evils of Gambling and Benefits of Agriculture.

Washington, March 24.—President Roosevelt soundly lectured a party of Ogallala Sioux Indian chiefs who called on him, and who, it is said, are more addicted to horse racing and gambling than they are to the pursuits of agriculture. The president endeavored to impress upon his visitors ideas of industry and thrift. While the lecture was being interpreted the Indians listened in solemn silence. As they emerged from the executive offices their faces beamed with smiles. The president told them they ought to dispose of at least half of their ponies and increase their holdings of cattle. He frankly told them that if they would stop horse racing and gambling and devote their energies to cattle raising and agriculture they soon might become valuable citizens. The policy of the government, he said, was to take care of the older Indians, but that the younger members of all the tribes would soon have to look out for themselves, as other citizens do.

##### Belittles Labor Influence.

Washington, March 24.—In a discussion of the confusion which opponents of the eight-hour bill declared would follow the enactment of that measure into law, Frederick W. Job, secretary of the Employers' union of Chicago, said to the senate committee on education and labor that he did not believe the labor leaders of the country represented the real views of the rank and file of workmen, organized or unorganized. He declared the leaders, from Gompers down, persisted in misrepresenting conditions, and the official organ of organized labor never had contained one word of denunciation of the crimes committed by strikers. Mr. Job said the surest way to defeat a candidate for public office in Chicago is to get him endorsed by the labor leaders, for then the rank and file of the unions voted secretly against him.

##### Tunnel Mail Service.

Washington, March 24.—An appropriation of \$100,000 for the tunnels for transportation of mails in Chicago was agreed to in the House. Representative Snapp of Illinois presented an amendment authorizing the Postmaster General to contract for the use of the tunnels, provided the service could be obtained at a cost not exceeding an efficient wagon service, and within a limit of \$100,000, which comes from the appropriation of \$1,200,000 for mail messenger service.

##### Postoffice Club.

Washington, March 24.—Aggressive tactics have been decided upon by the Democratic members of the Senate to enforce their demands for an investigation by Congress of the Postoffice Department. When the committee again put off the request of Senators Gorman and Clay, the minority members, that one of the resolutions now pending in the committee looking to a congressional investigation be reported to the Senate, they announced their determination to offer a new resolution calling attention to the former resolution and to the fact that they have been permitted to sleep in the committee, in order to bring the entire question before the Senate again.

##### Gorman on Roosevelt.

Washington, March 24.—The senate had a lively discussion of the policy the administration is expected to pursue in securing employees for work on the Panama canal. Mr. Gorman said the president, in his instructions to the Isthmian canal commission, had receded from his first position on the general application of the civil service principle and that in exempting from examination men sent to the Philippines to fill the more important positions he noticed that "very few of these positions have been filled by men who have not been members of the president's own political party."

##### Cession Is Blocked.

Washington, March 24.—The Senate committee on foreign relations has agreed to postpone a favorable report on the treaty ceding the Isle of Pines to Cuba. Several members of the committee, speaking for constituents interested in the island, objected to the transfer of sovereignty. It was stated that four-fifths of the land there is owned by Americans and to enable their interests to be considered further, the committee postponed action. It is believed now that the opposition to the treaty will be successful in preventing a favorable report.

##### Gompers Repudiates Socialists.

Washington, March 24.—Samuel Gompers, appearing before the House,

#### WANT DONOVAN.

Chicago Americans and Washington seek St. Louis Captain's Services.

Two American league teams, Chicago and Washington, are seeking for the coming season the services of Patsy Donovan, captain of the St. Louis Nationals, according to the statement of a St. Louis authority in baseball affairs who is in a position to speak with certainty.

Callahan at Chicago, it is asserted, has solicited of his job as manager, and it is further related has offered his resignation since the close of the last season. Callahan is badly in need of just such a man as Donovan and as soon as he learned that the Cardinal was at liberty opened negotiations.

Donovan has always been popular at Washington, and the club interests there have been wise to the fact. All last summer the Senators were looking for a fast fielder, and at one time, it is said, made an offer for Hieldfeldt.

##### Swimmer's Great Task.

William J. Glover, Jr., of Baltimore, who has acquired a local reputation as a long distance swimmer, has obtained financial backing for a trip to England, where in May he will make an attempt to swim the English channel. He will be accompanied by his father and Henry Seifert.

Young Glover in 1902 swam across the Chesapeake bay in rough water from Tolchester Beach to River View. He was in the water sixteen hours. He is twenty-five years old and belongs to a family of expert swimmers. Glover will sail for England in April and train in English waters.

##### An M. and M. Possibility.

Armilly, by Willoughby, a trotter prominent at the Cleveland matinee for several seasons, probably will be raced professionally this year and is spoken of as an M. and M. possibility. He has trotted a trial in 2:12.

##### How the Retort Came.

H. T. Eve, the Liberal candidate for parliament in Devonshire, England, has a pretty and a very ready wit. Some short time ago he was cross-examining a chemical expert, and asking how a certain thing should be described, the expert answered "as an isolated radical." Quick as lightning came the response from Mr. Eve: "Then I suppose the symbol is H. C. B." (Henry Campbell-Bannerman).

##### Of Two Evils, the Lesser.

The Manchester Guardian tells a story of a North of England magistrate who was in the habit of giving good and much-needed advice to those who came before him in the course of his magisterial duties. On one occasion a defendant who was about to receive his admonition interrupted him. "Look here, your worship," he said, "please don't give me no good advice. Just double the sentence instead."

##### More Women Ministers.

In less than ten years the number of women Congregationalist ministers has doubled, there being now in different parts of the United States fifty-three who have been regularly ordained by councils of Congregational churches and who are doing practically the full work of the ministry. They are found in twenty states and territories, with a preponderating number, however, in the Western states.

##### BANK IN CREEK NATION FAILS

National of Holdenville, With Deposits of \$36,423, Is in Receiver's Hands.

Holdenville, I. T., March 24.—The National bank of Holdenville, capitalized at \$50,000, one of the largest banks in the Creek nation, has suspended payment. Myron R. Sturtevant has been appointed receiver. Indiscriminate investment is given as the cause. The bank was organized in 1891, and its last report to the controller of the currency showed that it held deposits aggregating \$36,423.

##### Gov. Cummins Is Ill.

Des Moines, Ia., March 24.—Gov. A. B. Cummins is seriously ill with an attack of the grip and is threatened with pneumonia. The governor has been ill for about two weeks, but has persisted in attending to his duties at the statehouse.

##### Admits Aiding a Murderer.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 24.—Charles Saxton has confessed that he made the oil can in which a revolver was smuggled into the county jail to Mark Dunn, preliminary to the latter's sensational escape from jail.

##### Special Reduced Excursion Rates

Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-Western Railway for the occasions named below: Los Angeles, beginning May 3, General Conference Methodist Episcopal Church.

San Francisco, May 3d to 8th, Retail Grocers' National Association.

San Francisco, Sept. 6th to 9th, Triennial Conclave Knights Templar.

San Francisco, Sept. 19th to 25th, Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon ticket agent of the North-Western line.

##### One Way Low Rates via the C. & M. & St. P. Ry.

Every day during March and April, 1904, one way colonist tickets at greatly reduced rates will be sold to points in Utah, California, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. Also very low settlers' rates north and west of St. Paul, and to all points on C. M. & St. P. lines in north and South Dakota, March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 and April 5, 12, 19 and 26, 1904. For rates and other information call on the ticket agent, phone 191.

#### FIND HERMIT DEAD IN HIS HUT

Adopts the Life of a Recluse After His Wife's Tragic Death.

Chester, Pa., March 24.—James Gordon, 70 years old, was found dead by farmers in a hut on the side of Burnt mountain, near Rockledge, Gordon, who was known as the Burnt mountain hermit, had not been seen for some days and the farmers on battering in the door of his lone abode discovered the body. He had been dead several days. A few months ago Gordon, who was then a well-to-do farmer, lost his house, barn and nearly all he possessed by fire. His wife perished in the flames. He then took himself to the hut on the mountainside, where he had since been living in seclusion, eking out a living by hunting.

#### THROWS WATER ON VISITORS

"Mrs. Wiggs" Resents the Notoriety Given Her by Author.

Louisville, Ky., March 24.—Two well-filled buckets of refuse water were dropped on Miss Isabel O'Madigan, an actress of reputation, and Mrs. Jean Caffery, a Louisville society woman, when they called on Mrs. Mary Bass at her home in the "cabbage patch." Mrs. Bass is "Mrs. Wiggs," but the sweet philosophy and sunny disposition credited to her by Miss Alice Caldwell Hegan are no more. She is shrill of voice and quick of temper just now, the reason being that she feels she has received all the notoriety and the writer all the money out of the book. She has refused for months to see visitors.

#### BANK CASHIER MAY BE FREED

Persons Interested in Trial for Embezzlement Agree to Put Off Hearing.

Elkhart, Ind., March 24.—By agreement of all concerned, the trial of Edward O. Soule, the cashier indicted on three charges for embezzlement of \$50,000 from the Home Savings bank of Iowa Falls, was continued until the August term of court. All the civil suits growing out of this trouble were settled by some stipulation, save one case, and it is thought an arrangement has been perfected whereby Soule will eventually go free. It is said that Soule's father has advanced considerable money to help his son out of the difficulty.

##### Pope Leo's Books.

In the private library of the late Pope there are hundreds of costly and beautifully bound books which were sent to him by admirers in all civilized countries and it has been decided to remove to the Vatican library those among them which are really valuable and to distribute the others among the various Catholic seminaries and colleges in Rome.

##### Windstorm Causes Damage.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 24.—Damage amounting to thousands of dollars was done in Christian county by a windstorm. Many buildings were unroofed, and between forty and fifty tobacco barns were blown down.

##### Lockout Shoemakers.

Lynn, Mass., March 24.—Thirty-three shoe manufacturers of this city, who employ turnworkmen, locked out the men in this department of their factories.



It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by druggists everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.



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#### GENERAL MORRIS PASSES AWAY

Veteran of the Civil War Succumbs to Age and Infirmities.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 24.—Gen. Thomas Morris, 90 years old, died here at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Chambers. Gen. Morris was a veteran of the civil war and up to the time of his death was the oldest living graduate of West Point Military school, having entered in 1827, at the age of 20. Failing in general health, coupled with old age, was the cause of his death. It was thought that a trip to California might prove beneficial, but it brought no noticeable results and the general returned to Indianapolis only a few days before his death.

#### Three Persons Were Drowned.

Louisville, Ky., March 24.—Andrew Isgrig, aged 19; Arthur Everhart, 18, and Edward Hart, 21, all of Jeffersonville, Ind., were drowned in the Ohio opposite Louisville. Their boat was upset by the swift current near the falls.

#### Call Good Roads Convention.

Springfield, Ill., March 24.—A call has been issued by Gov. Yates, Secretary of State Rose and heads of other state departments for a state good roads convention to be held in Representative hall in this city May 3 and 4.

#### EMPHATIC TALK

The Kind That Carries Conviction to Every Janesville Reader.

Conviction must follow such emphatic proof as is given here. The testimony of Janesville residents should satisfy the most skeptical. Here is a Janesville case. Read it and see if doubt can exist in the face of this evidence.

Mr. E. T. Fish, of 355 Ravine street, proprietor of the Fish Dray Line says: "When I was twenty years of age I fell injuring my back, and ever since that I was troubled more or less with a dull aching pain across the loins. It never laid me up but it was often painful and annoying. Of late years I have gone to a physician every six months and had myself thoroughly examined under the impression that there might be something wrong with my kidneys. The diagnosis always resulting in the physician claiming these organs were sound, but as the pains existed when I happened to notice in our Janesville papers that Doan's Kidney Pills were guaranteed to cure just such troubles I procured a box at the People's Drug store and took them. Doan's Kidney Pills are a good preparation. My back has not ached since I used them. I have heard others speak very complimentary of them and if I did not know their merit and required such a medicine I would consider it a favor if some one suggested their use to me. For this reason I endorse them."

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## \$25.00 In Gold for Gazette Readers.

### Prizes for Short Story Writers Under Twenty Years of Age

THE GAZETTE will offer \$25.00 in gold as prizes for the best Short Stories of not more than 500 words written by Rock County young people under 20 years of age and sent in before May 1st, 1904.

1st Prize	\$10.00
2nd Prize	5.00
3rd Prize	3.00
4th Prize	2.00
And 5 Prizes of \$1.00 Each.	

Stories will be judged on their literary merit and for composition and punctuation. The Gazette believes there is considerable literary talent in Rock County that should be developed, and it offers an opportunity young people to show their abilities.

Stories are to be written in a clear, legible hand on one side only of paper, type-written manuscript being preferable. So far as possible stories should have a local or state bearing interest, although other subject matter will be acceptable.

Each writer should sign name and give Postoffice address; also state age. There are no conditions other than those already given, and the contest is open to all young people of Rock County.

The Gazette will publish the Prize Stories and it also reserves the right to publish any other story submitted. All manuscript will be retained by the paper. Contest closes May 1st.

Address all communications to the

### "Short Story Editor,"

GAZETTE, - Janesville, Wis.

## OTIS SKINNER IS COMING HERE THE LAST OF MAY

Will Appear in Elaborately Staged  
Production of Jean Richepin's New  
Drama "The Wanderer."

Admirers of the sterling actor, Otis Skinner, whose numbers are legion in Janesville, will be delighted to learn that he has been booked for an engagement here during the latter part of May. He will appear in a new play "The Wanderer," written especially for him by Jean Richepin, the famous French dramatist. The play has been staged on an elaborate scale and the role assumed by Mr. Skinner is said to be different from any he has yet essayed. He is pleasantly remembered here in the parts he assumed in "Lazarre," "Francesca da Rimini," "Primo Otto," "Rosemary," and "The Liars." The company will appear at the Davidson theatre, Milwaukee, on May 5, and after appearing in Chicago for a short run will come to Janesville.

The Lyman E. Barnes law library at Appleton has been transferred to Attorney A. M. Spencer of Appleton. The library consists of 2,100 volumes and a great many state supreme court records and is considered one of the most complete sets of law books in Wisconsin.

### TODAY'S MARKET REPORT. From the Madison, Wisc. Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville.

WHEAT—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
May.....	83	84 1/2	82	84
July.....	85 1/2	86 1/2	85 1/2	86
Sept.....				
CORN—				
May.....	52 5/16	52 3/4	51 1/4	52 1/4
July.....	49 1/2	49 3/4	49 1/4	49 1/2
Sept.....				
OATS—				
May.....	30	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/4
July.....	37 1/4	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/2
Sept.....				
MEAT—				
May.....	12 07	12 07	12 05	12 02
July.....	11 20	11 25	11 05	11 22
Sept.....				
LARD—				
May.....	6 05	6 07	6 02	6 07
July.....	7 07	7 10	7 05	7 10
Sept.....				
RYE—				
May.....	6 81	6 83	6 77	6 81
July.....	6 92	7 00	6 87	7 00
Sept.....				

### CHICAGO COT. LOT RECEIPTS. To day. Contract. Est. Tomorrow

Wheat.....	11	1	
Corn.....	124	10	
Oats.....	123	9	

### NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat)

Today	Last Week	Year Ago
Minneapolis.....	291	214
Duluth.....	31	16
Chicago.....	14	24

### Live Stock Market RECEIPTS TODAY

	Hogs	Cattle	Sheep
Chicago.....	15000	2500	13000
Kansas City.....	6700	3-00	2000
Omaha.....	6000	4000	1000
Market.....	Steady	Steady	Steady

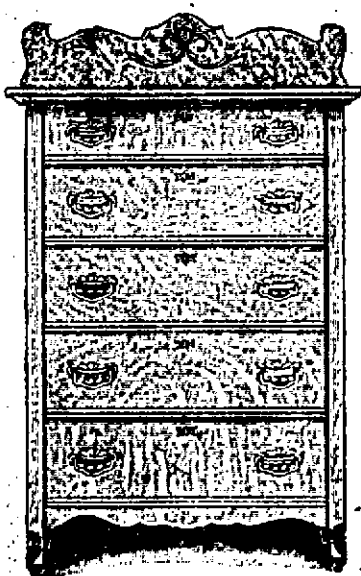
### U. S. Yards Opening

U. S. Yards Open.	U. S. Yards Close.
Mixed Ab.....	3 10 1/2
Good heavy.....	3 10 1/2
Soft heavy.....	3 10 1/2
Light.....	3 10 1/2
Bulk of sale.....	3 10 1/2
Grid to fine.....	3 10 1/2
Poor to medium.....	3 10 1/2
Beckers and.....	3 10 1/2
Beefers.....	3 10 1/2
Bulls.....	3 10 1/2
Texas fed steers.....	3 10 1/2
Sheep.....	3 10 1/2
Lambs.....	3 10 1/2

## During the March Furniture Sale

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ed oak cases, with  
toilets and with-  
out. Also bird's-  
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**Easter in the Garment Room** Everything here is on dress parade, the new suits, new coats and new skirts. Not an unworthy offering in the whole collection. Note these specials.

**Walking Skirts** Of these we show a very large line. We mention particularly the fine men-tailored skirts made of the same materials that are in men's fine trousers. We have them in gray and brown mixtures. Prices range from **\$10.00 to \$15.00.**

**One Skirt of Gun Metal Gray**, fine stripe effect, at **\$15.00**, is the same skirt that is selling in the city at \$20 to \$25. These skirts are particularly recommended for their fine tailoring.

**Juvenile Skirts** made especially for small girls, can also fit fair sized misses. These we have in navy, brown and mixtures at **\$2.75, \$3, \$4 & \$5.**

**Juvenile Suits** in Scotch mixtures for school girls, are something new. They are made with short skirts, and the sizes are smaller than in the regular misses line. Prices **\$10 to \$15.**

**Spring Outer Wraps** For ladies' the Covert Jackets with strap seams, are quite the thing. Colors tan and black, **\$5 to \$22.**

**In Silk Garments** For ladies and misses we have stylish coats in blue, black and pongee at **\$14 to \$25.** We also have the Misses' Silk Coats in pongee and black from **\$5 to \$9.**

**For Children** A splendid line of jackets in blue, brown and Scotch mixtures, nicely trimmed, at **\$6 to \$12.**

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**Women's Silk Waists** The new season's first showing of these is certainly fine, and the prices very modest. We mention a few. Black China Silks, sizes 32 to 44, with tucked yoke, \$3.75. Black Taffeta, made with fine tucks, at \$2.00 to \$2.50. Black Peau de Soie, excellent waists at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00. White Wash Silk, \$3.75, some with Tenneriffe Wheel Trimming at \$4.50, others with hand made drawnwork at \$5.00. A beauty made of white Peau de Soie with wide insertion, \$7.50. Champagne color in Peau de Soie and Wash Silk, genteel waists, at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00. We have silk waists in evening shades in all the desirable colors. See them in our north store.

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Embroideries worth up to 25c for 18 1/2c  
Embroideries worth up to 30c for 23c  
Embroideries worth up to 35c for 28c  
Embroideries worth up to 40c for 33c  
Embroideries worth up to 50c for 37c  
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**Saturday, March 26**

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